## **BOOZE LAW DECISION** FREES MANY IN JAIL

Statutes, Says Supreme Court.

U. S. AND ANTIS BEATEN

Persons Convicted Under Internal Revenue Law May Invoke Habeas Corpus.

TAX FEATURE IS UPHELD

Illegally Made Liquor Can Be

release of scores of persons convicted of violating the dry laws since the

passage, even though they were not inconsistent with it.

The decision was a defeat for the Federal Government and the Anti-Saloon League, which had fought the case in the court. Many prosecutions have been brought under the old laws

have been brought under in the last year.

The court declared that the Federal Government under the Volstead law can tax illegally made liquor to any degree, but asserted that old penalties of the internal revenue laws for defrauding the Government of Ilquor taxes could not be made to apply at present. Because of

the Government of liquor taxes could not be made to apply at present. Because of the upholding of the right to tax illegally made liquor about \$25,000,000 of such taxes imposed since prohibition became effective will be kept in the Treasury. While the court was reading its decision, the first adverse to the contentions of the prohibitionists since the Eighteenth Amendment was adopted, the House Judiclary. Committee approved the House Judiciary Committee approved the bill of Representative Volstead prohibiting the prescription of beer as medicine and otherwise tightening up prohibition enforcement. The effect of the court's decision may be discussed at a meeting of the committee temperature.

decision may be discussed at a meeting of the committee to-morrow.

The case decided was appealed by Boze and Cousin Boze Yuginovich of Oregon, indicted under the old internal revenue laws for conducting a still.

Mrs. Abbot Adams, special assistant Attorney-General in charge of the dry cases, said after hearing the decision:

"We brought many cases for violation of dry laws under the old internal revenue laws because it seemed easier to obtain convictions than under the Volsten the conviction of the dry law in some circumstances. The men thus convicted whose appeals are pending now probably can obtain release through writs of habeas corpus based on to-day's decision."

Wayne B. Wheeler of the Anti-Saloor

Most criminal prosecutions in liquor cases will have to be brought hereafter under the Volstead act. The penalties and procedure in the Volstead act are not so strong as in the revenue laws, but they will be sufficient if used effectively."

#### 68.039 GERMANS MAY ENTER U. S. IN A YEAR

Figures Compiled for Admission of Immigrants. WASHINGTON, June 1 .- Figures show-

ing the number of immigrants who can be admitted to this country in the fiscal announced to-day by W. W. Husband, Commissioner of Immigration. The Hat was complete except the fig-ures for Turkey and Southern Asia. The

figures are:

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#### CAUCUS IN DEADLOCK.

House Republicans Disagree on Tariff Rate Measure.

Washington, June 1.—House Repuc-licans, after heated discussion in con-ference to-night, adjourned without reaching an agreement on the course to be followed on the Longworth resolution, which would make effective upon their introduction in the House all rates car-ried in the general tariff bill now in preparation. No date was set for fur-ther discussion of the proposition.



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BEER PRESCRIPTIONS ENDED BY NEW BILL

Committee to Report Measure to House, Probably To-day.

WASHINGTON, June 1 .- The Volstead Volstead Act Supersedes Old medical beer, was agreed upon to-day by the House Judiciary Committee, which will report it to the House, probably to-

morrow, with a request for its immediate passage.

Prohibition leaders declared there were votes enough to put it through before the Bureau of Internal Revenue could make effective proposed regulations by which beer could be prescribed under a ruling of former Attorney-General Palmer.

The section relating to doctors, which was virtually rewritten, follows:

"No physician shall prescribe nor shall any person sell or furnish on any prescription any vinous liquor that contains more than 24 per centum of alcohol by volume, nor shall any one prescribe or sell or furnish on any prescription more than one-fourth of one gallen of vinous or any liquor that contains more than one-half pint of alcohol for use by any person within any period of ten days.

"No physician shall be furnished with

Assessed, Says Finding Affecting \$25,000,000.

Special Despatch to The New York Herald.

New York Herald Bureau.
Washington, D. C., June I.

The United States Supreme Court to-day dealt a blow to prohibition enforcement and opened the way for the release of scores of persons convicted.

WARDEN HAM FOR COLLECTOR.

of violating the dry laws since the Volstead law became effective.

By a unanimous decision the court held that the bid internal revenue laws that regulated the manufacture and the manufacture and sele of liquor before the Volstead law.

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We list below but a few of the rugs now offered, includ-

	SHAH, ANAT				
(Asia M	inor), ARAK, I	TAMA-			
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Size	Pormerty	Formerly Sale Price			
21. 1x13.1	0 feet \$4,250	82,400			
19. 8x13.	6 feet 1,800	800			
18. 2x12.	3 feet 3,000	1.600			
18. 2x12.	1 feet \$.000	1,650			
16. 4x10.	3 feet 1,550	940			
16. 3x11.1	0 feet 3,000	1,500			
16. 3x10.	5 feet 1,550	975			
15. 6x11.	7 feet 1.075	740			
15. 3x10.	1 feet 1,450	900			
15. 2x10.	1 feet 1,000	160			
14. 7x10.	2 feet 2,150	1,100			
14. 4x10.	0 feet 1,250	875			
14. 3x 7.	3 feet 925	575			
18. 7x 8.	4 feet 1,200	750			
18. 6x10.	2 feet 1,200	800			
12.11x10.	0 feet 700	890			
12. 8x 8.	8 feet 975	575			
12. 5x 9.	1 feet 675	385			
12. 4x 9.	0 feet 650	885			
12. 3x 8.	7 feet 875	550			
12. 0x 8. 1	2 feet 885	570			
11.10x 8.1	1 feet 960	575			
11.10x 8.1	1 feet 1,475	800			
10. 8x 7.	1 feet 550	330			

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Cn	inese	Rugs		
Size	- 3	Pormerly	Bale Price	
19. 8x14. 0	feet	\$2,250	\$1,400	
19. 5x10. 2	feet	1,650	950	
17. 2x12. 2	feet	1,950	925	
17. 2x 5. 0	feet	300	220	
15. 4x12. 1	feet	975	585	
14.11x10.10	feet	1,050	500	
14. 8x19. 0			440	
14. 5x11.11			890	
13. 5x10. 1			845	
13. 0x11. 2			865	
12. 7x10. 0			850	
11. 9x10. 1			295	
11. 9x 8.10			525	
11. 6x 9. 8			265	
11. 5x 9. 0			260	
10. 2x 8. 4			220	
10. 2x 8. 0			215	
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800 Small Oriental Rugs

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WILTON RUGS (Room Sizes)

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We realize, however, that unusual values must still be presented in order to appeal to the widespread spirit of economy.

We decided to create such an opportunity, by reducing our discontinued fabrics and patterns, and such seasonable goods which, if not sold now, would remain in stock for some time, to prices which would make certain their sale by June 30th.

Our further desire was to bring our establishment, its resources, and the attractive prices of our merchandise to the attraction of those who, for some reason, may not have visited us before.

SUMMER FURNITURE

For the Summer Home, the Porch, the Sun Parlor and Breakfast Boomed, Willow, Cane and Rattan Furnisure, conveying in its very appearance
i construction a sense of coolness and comfort, finds in the summer home
most apprepriate cetting—a welcome seasonable relief from the heavy,
uriously upholstered furniture of the city home.

The Following Are But a Few of the Attractive Values in This Sale Reed Furniture

Made of the highest grade of imported and carefully selected reed.
Because of the diversity with which reed furniture adapts itself, we carry an extensive line of popular designs in durable colors, to harmonize with any color scheme.
Our reed furniture can be supplied in natural, varnish, stained, enamel and decorated finish. And the price in each instance is the same. This furniture, finished in special colors, can be made to order and delivered in ten days. ODD PIECES A-2422-X Reed Settee, 42", light oak. \$80.00 \$55.00 A-2423-X Reed Stide Chair, light oak. 25.00 17.00 A-2426-X Old Ivory Reed Arm Chair 45.00 82.00 A-2427-X Harding Blue Arm Rocker. 45.00 82.00 A-2427-X Reed Research

STICK STYLE WILLOW FURNITURE Made of Japanese rattan and split cane in natural color; designs are all cooled from models French and Swiss in origin.

BREAKFAST SET (Stick Style) A-2589-X One Breakfast
Table, 42° diameter ... \$50.00 \$35.00
A-2590-X Four Breakfast
Chairs ... Each A-2592-X One Buffet, size
24°×18° ... 90.00 \$6.00
A-2591-X One Tea Wagon,
glass tray ... 45.00 \$6.00

IMPORTED JAPANESE RATTAN Made of Japanese rattan and split cane in natural color; also in an-tique black herringbone design.

Upholstery and Drapery Fabrics
Hand Blocked Printed Linens and Cretonnes

Among those effered in this sale will be found designs made on prewar linen, dyed in the most permanent manner. These sturdy fabrics
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We offer some 2,000 yards of these desirable fabrics at prices 50% lewer
than prevalled last Spring.
PLEASE NOTE PARTICULARLY THAT MOST OF THESE GOODS ARE
50 INCHES WIDE
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CRETONNES AND LINENS CRETONNES AND LINENS
2000 yds. Cretonnes and Linens. 50
inches wide, in Drab, Purple, Soft
Green, Yellow. Yellow and Black,
Natural Fawn, Putty, Gray and
Black, Tan and Brown, Blue and
Cream, Indian Purple, Camel,
Mauve, Natural and Blue, Dark
Green and Black, Taupe, Brown,
Blue; per yard formerly, \$7.50 to
\$3.00; per yard, sale price,
\$4.50 to \$2.60

GLAZED CHINTZ
175 yda. Glazed Chintz, 31 and 34 inches wide, in Black, Blue, Garnet: Per yd., formerly \$3.50; Sale price. \$2.00

STRIPED LINENS 

## A Collection of Mirrors

The mirror as a decorative adjunct to the room is frequently the one article which best suits the need of some particular wall space and only pletes the charm of the entire room.

The prices at which these mirrors are now offered are in many cases lower than asked for the ordinary and poorly conceived and commenly offered mirrors of trade. They serve as attractive and occupiable wedding gifts. WE LIST BELOW BUT A FEW OF THE MANY EXAMPLES INCLUDED IN THE SALE.

A - 1484 - X Polychrome
Mirror, size 22°x47". \$100.00 \$60.00
A - 2628 - X Polychrome
Mirror, size 28'x47". \$100.00 \$60.00
A - 2626 - X Polychrome
Mirror, size 28'x48". 90.00 \$10.00
A - 2567 - X Gilt Mirror,
Fifteen panels, Mirror,
Size 28'x43". 100.00 \$0.00
A - 665 - X Gilt Mirror,
Size 24'x43". 100.00 \$0.00
A - 467 - X Chinese Lacquer Mirror, Blue glass
border, size 17'4'x33". 100.00 \$6.00
A - 1655 - X Gilt Adam Mirror, size 42'x28". 150.00 78.00
A - 2611 - X Florai Paint-,
Ing. 13" diameter, Gilt
Frame . 30.00 18.00 A-2811-X Floral Painting, 13" diameter, Gilt Frame

A-1464-X Italian Mirror, 50.00 56.06

A-1811 - X Polychrome Mirror with Painted panel top, size 18"x43" 90.00 59.06

A-2832-X Adam Mirror, size 21"x37" 60.00 46.06

A-1449-X Gilt Mirror in Parti colors, size 20"x 34" 90.00 66.00 chrome Mirror, size 20"x31"
A-981-X Crystal Mirror, Etched top, antique Mirror with Painted panel top, size 18"x43" 90.00 50.00 

A 2832-X Adam Mirror, size 21"x37" 60.00 40.00 

A 1449-X Gilt Mirror in Parti colors, size 20"x 34" 90.00 60.00 

A 1462-X Polychrome Mirror, size 19"x39" 60.00 45.00 

Also framed prints, silverways and China was a size 20"x 350.00 78.00 

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Furniture and Screens

We have included in this Sale some Dining Room, Breakfast and Bedroom suites, as well as many edd and eccasional pieces which are marked at exceedingly low prices.

"Seeing is believing"—se with confidence we ask you to come in and see that these values really are remarkable even in these days of featured sales. We are confident that a personal inspection of this Furniture will result to the advantage of those contemplating purchases of this character.

WE LIST BELOW A FEW OF THE MANY ARTICLES INCLUDED IN THE COLLECTION:

A-2265-X Mahogany Bed-room Rocker, wood seat Side Chair to match above Mahog-any Bedroom Rocker. A-1684-X Mahogany Oc-casional Table, size A-1667-X Bridge Lamp. Enamel Base ...... 40.00 20.00 A-1684-X Manogany Oc-casional Table, size 34"x20"
A-1460-X Mahogany Day size 1945x2"
A-2238-X Mahogany Day Bed, size 26"x5"
cane panels
A-482-X Mabogany Four Foster Bed, 3'6"x4'0" A-2303-X Mahogany Tea Wagon, Drop Leaf, size 38"x28".... 60.00 38.00 60.00 50.00 A-2142-X-Colonial Low-boy, Solid Mahogany size 36"x20" A-1802-X Mahogany Windsor Chair

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250 Rag Rugs

9.0x12.0	feet	\$21.00	\$16.2
9.0x12.0	feet		25.9
2.0x 3.0	feet	1.50	1.1
2.3x 4.6	feet	2,50	1.8
2.6x 5.0	feet	2.75	2.1
2.6x 5.0	feet	4.00	8.3
3.0x 6.0	feet	3.50	2.6
3.0x 6.0	feet	6.75	5.2
4.0x 7.0	feet	6.00	4.8
4.0x 7.0	feet	6.50	5.0
4.0x 7.0		9.50	7.7
4.6x 7.6	feet	10.50	8.6
6.0x 9.0	feet	10.50	8.4
6.0x 9.0	feet	12.50	10.0
6.0x 9.0	feet	16.00	12.8
	feet		18.2
	feet		19.5
8.0x10.0	feet	25.50	20.1

300 Grass and Fibre Rugs

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25.00 20.00 

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